



ARPA MAN OF THE YEAR AWARD 2023

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ARIZONA SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE, BEN TOMA

This prestigious ARPA award typically is granted to an elected official that has gone way above the call of duty regarding matters of importance to the industry. This recipient is a legislative champion on a multitude of fronts and has supported important legislation on behalf of the State, played an important role on key issues or state budget matters, and serves with distinction.



This year's ARPA Man of the Year Award goes to Arizona Speaker of the House, Ben Toma, a staunch negotiator who consistently supports business. He has been a champion for economic development, and we are blessed to have the relationship. He has given ARPA special access to the Arizona House of Representatives by allowing us to host visits for members, which included a mock debate on the house floor between our Future Leaders. It is humble servants like Speaker Toma that give us hope regarding Arizona's future.